applause.
Mayor McCarthy praised the morality of the city, and then he declared for an auditerium to hold 5,000 people.
"And we have got this, and only stupidity keeps us from using it, and it is the Third Market. To some extent this is a nuisance, and the public should demand its use for the public."

For New High School.

NORFOLK TO HAVE AN ASSOCIATION

Richmond Ladies Instill Enthusiasm in Hearts of Norfolk Sisters.

PUBLIC MEETING TO ORGANIZE

An Unusual Amount of Ice in the Upper Chesapeake Sinks , a Loaded Coal Barge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch,)
NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 8.—Norfolk is t have a general education association. All signs indicate that the inspiration of the Co-Operative Commission, which has just closed a two-days' convention here. will result in the birth of a vigorous organization of ladies and gentlemen who will make the material welfare of the public schools and the professional interests of the teachers their especial

care.

The first tangible point in the movement was an informal meeting of a number of ladies in the home of Mrs. William T. Brooke yesterduy afterhoon. Another meeting will take place to-morrow afternoon in St. George's school, or elsewhere, at which an organization will be formed or a plan for one outlined. Miss pleanor Tucker is one of the leading spirits in the movement.

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The gathering at Mrs. Brooke's yesterday afternoon was projected an informal reception to the lady members of the Co-Operative Education Commission—Mrs. B. B. Munford and Mrs. L. R. Dashiell, of Richmond. It quickly resolved itself, however, into a sort of experience meeting. The two visitors outlined the beginning and growth of the Richmond Education Association—from the time it consisted of a few kindergarten teachers until its present condition of potency that impresses itself on all the Capital's educational concerns, and makes itself felt in all legislation affecting them.

The barge Gladiolus, which left Philadelphia for Norfolk with a cargo of anthracite coal, is at the bottom of the Chesapeake, off Turkey Point, having been cut through by ice.

The tug Curtin left Philadelphia towing the Gladiolus. The tug and its towencountered an unusual quantity of ice in the upper bay for this season. The barge was unable to stand the continual poundings of the ice and began to leak badly. An effort was made to beach it, but without success, and the vessel went to the bottom in eighteen feet of water.

W. B. Stokes, proprictor of a saloon at

water.
W. B. Stokes, proprietor of a saloon at
No. 315 Church Street, was fined \$100 in
the Police Court to-day for permitting
unlawful gambling at his place of business and required to give a bond of \$500
to be of good behavior. Stokes appeal
ed and James T. Davis, a furniture dealer, gave bond for his appearance in the
Corporation Court.

CLEARED, BUT EXILED.

Thomas Corbin Escapes the Jury,

But Must Leave Town.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., Dec. S.—The jury in the trial of Thomas Corbin, brother of City Councilman George L. Oyrbin, for robbery and felonious assault, which at first stood fen for conviction and two for acquittal, brought in a, verdiet of acquittal to-night. Corbin several weeks ago, it was charged, assaulted and robbed W. M. Poteat, doing the man serious personal injury. The cries of Poteat could be heard for some distance. Corbin has aiready served a partial term in the penientiary for the murder of John Keen Milner. He was granted a conditional pardon by the Governor. Judge Alken to-night gave the prisoner until Monday morning to give bond for his good behavior in the sum of five hundred doinrs, with the alternative of leaving the city. Corbin stated that he would leave the city at once. But Must Leave Town.

COL. WITHERS VERY ILL. Physicians Hold Out No Hope for His Recovery.

for His Recovery.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Dec. 8.—Private information received here by a relative tonight from the bedside of Colonel Robcrt E. Withers, who has been ill for sevcral weeks at his home in Wytheville,
indicate that there is little hope left
for his ultimate recovery.

While the fever from which he suffered
has abated, he takes nourishment and
stimulants reductantly. The attending
physicians hold out little or no hope to
the waiting family on account of the Si
years of active life that he has led
up to his present filness.

DIED FROM HER WOUND.

Accidental Pistol Shot by Mrs. Curlett Proves Fatal.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARSAW, VA., Dec. 8.—Mrs. Sedona
Curlett, wife of Mr. John Curlett, a promlinent citizen of Wheation. Lancaster
county, diefr. last night from a pistol
shot wound which she received in the
abdomen one week ago. While attempting to clean the handle of Mr. Curlett's

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pistol, it exploded, the bullet passing through her bods.

Nearly three years ago this home had a sad affliction in the death of their infant. The mother, whose death has just occurred, left the baby on the bed for only a short time, and upon returning to the room, found the baby in attempting to reach the floor had its dress caught in the iron hedstead and was strangled to death, by its own ciothes.

Mr. George Chewning, aged 22 years, son of Mr. J. A. Chewning, of Mercy Point, Lancaster county, died to-day of crysipolas.

Mrs. Fanny Bell Ficklin, wife of Mr. B. Floklin, of Millebeck, Lancaster county, died this afternoon, after a week's illness of pnsumonia. She is survived by her husband and six children.

Work of Supervisors.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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CHATHAM, VA., December 8.—The Board of County Supervisors Wednesday nudited road overseers' accounts for the quarter ending November 30th. Warrants amounting to \$1,977.69 for balances were issued to the several overseers.

During the present year \$15.531.40 has been expended on the public roads of the county. The road machine teams have been quartered at the County Almshouse for the winter.

J. H. Hargrave, Jr., of Chatham; J. M. Marshall, of Kadesh, and John I. Pritchett, of Whitmire, were appointed members of the Poor House Board for three years from January 1, 1995.

Balance in hand of county treasurer from dog taxes collected was ordered to be transferred to the teachers' fund. Two hundred and eighty-one claims were approved by the board and warrants aggregating several thousand dollars issued.

A Surprise Marriage.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CARTERSVILLE, VA., Dec. 8.—News CARTERSVILLE, VA. Dec. 8.—Nows was received here last night of the marriage of Mrs. Grace Fox to Mr. Bushrod Fox. in Richmond yesterday. Mrs. Fox was formerly Miss Grace Goulding, of Richmond. In April she was married to Mr. Charles Fox. of Cartersville, Va. Ito', had consumption and lived only a few works.

The news of her marriage to his brother will come as a surprise to many. Mr. and Mrs. Fox returned to Pemberton last night, where they will reside with his father. They have recently purchased the property of Mr. J. L. Staley, of Pemberton, Va.

King William Court.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ETNA MILLS, VA., Dec. 8.—The Circuit Court of King William county, which convened on the 6th instant, Judge Garnett presiding, closed yesterday. Only a few cases out of a long docket were tried. Alexander Garrison, for assaulting Betsy Nelson, both negroes, was discharged, after being in Jail for two months.

Court adjourned to meet in February next.

Lighthouse Keeper.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS VA., Dec. s.—James
E. Liewellyn, keeper of the Newport
News lighthouse, has been uppointed
keeper of the lighthouse at Back River,
to succeed Capitain Robert T. Wallace,
who recently dropped dead in the lighthouse tower after lighting his lamps for
the night.

Fell in the Dry-Dock.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Dec. 8.—Norman Crafford, an old white man, lost his balance and tumbled into dry dock No. 2 at the shippard to-day. He rolled to the bottom, about littly feet, and was geri-

HEADACHES FROM COLDS.

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RICHMOND'S PROGRESS

vulsed with laughter on account of his timely anecdotes, illustrating his points and his praise of Richmond and her ad-vantages in the commercial world was roundly cheered.
"It does not pay to knock the other

For New High School. "I believe Richmond should pitch in and build a new High School. The present building is not only a disgrace, but it is a crime. I believe the school houses should be built in the middle of the parks, and I hope the next one in the East End will be in Chimborazo Park." The Mayor now discussed the question of annexation, and he declared for taking in some vacant land where cheap homes could be built. In talking of the James River improvement, the Mayor declared: "Let us lay aside all sentiment of the past and declare for the 'old day, and the appropriation."

Fire Protection.

"We need better fire protection, and the people need to be taught that there is much good derived from a proper con-duct of our city, affairs. This and other communicies have gotten in the habit of growling and grumbling without cause, They talk about high taxes. There is nothing in it."

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The Mayer said now that the city should employ a capable sculptor to make a statue of the late Joseph Mayo, to place in the City Hall, and he declared for a city flag, which should be used by the police and fire departments and the city schools. He said he desired to see the State flag kept to the front, and the children of the present generation should not be allowed to forget what it means.

"One of the meanest and most inexusable things this community is doing to-

"One of the meanest and most inexcusable things this community is doing to-day is the heartless treatment that is being dealt out to our boys. It means that you are making charcter smokers, pool players and whiskey drunkards of your young men. The greatest asset of this community is her boys, and we should treat them with more consideartion than we have been doing."

Other Speeches

Other Speeches. Mayor McCarthy declared that only the wilful neglect on the part of some one could prevent the absolute financial safety of the city and he said the revenues for

RICHMOND

VIRGINIA

"THE GATEWAY TO THE SOUTH."

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Its Equable Climate-Immunity from devastating storms and ex-

The Character of Its Inhabitants-Founded by old time Southern people, their descendants maintain the traditions of the past, coupled with pushing, progressive, twentieth century ideas. A city noted for its homes, churches, and institutions of learning, and the high commercial, intellectual, social and religious standing of its people.

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each man his lesson and to make a long pull a hard pull and a pull altogether for the prosperity and happiness of all the people of our beautiful city.

The closing words of Mr. Bryan's speech created great enthusiasm and when he said, "when the fight comes, let us all be in the front ranks fighting for Richmond," there was prolonged cheerlors.

chairman Freeman now in a brief speech, introduced Mayor Carlton McCarthy, and when His Honor came forward, there was an outburst of applause which lasted for some moments. The Mayor said he felt inexpressibly delighted at the pleasure of speaking a word for the advancement of the only city on earth to him.

to him.
"I would rather be a tamp-post in Richmond," he went on, "that a millionaire anywhere else on earth.
"I mean rather be the means of helping Richmond than to be the king of any other enemants." other country

Are Not Poor.

"The time has come for this community to abandon the sentiment and talk of poverty. This city is to-day not only the subject of prosperity, but of rapidly increasing prosperity.

"We are not poor. We have simply gotten ourselves into the habit of suying we are poor when, indeed, we are not. The government of the city is in better shape, financially, than it has been for forty years, and the prospects for a continuation of these conditions are better than ever before.

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Restore the Jefferson. Captain McCarthy had been cheered on and on, but when he came to deal with the question of restoring the Jefferson Hotel, there was an outburst which lasted

for several moments.

"If the man who owns those disgraceful rulns was a pauper, he would be denounced in this community, and I regard it as a public nulsance, and if I had the authority under the law, I would emolish it or have it rebuilt, for it is a palpuble disgrace to the city in its present shape.

ent shape."

The speaker declared that he wanted to see Powhatan and Pocahontas represented in marble and bronze in full Indian dress to stop the standerous tongues now saying that the former was a liar and the latter a myth.

In speaking of Virginia, the Mayor, with vigorous gestures, declared that Virginia was about the only State in the Union that had a right to brag, and that all others had sold out at some time or other; He ridiculed the "new South dea," and said, "We represent in peace what was an eternal terror in war, and we are not in any way ashaned of it."

Great Advantages.

Coming down to Richmond's advan-ages, Mayor McCarthy enumerated them a most entertaining manner, and he referred to her great street rallway lines, chool houses, etc., and when he said he ould go to New York and pay the sattre

vice about a community providing for its children and when he resumed his seat there was prolonged cheering.

There were several other speeches though they were all brief. Mr. Waller-stein spoke carnestly for the co-operation of all business men along the line of ad-

vertising the city's advantages to the world.

world.

Mr. Robert Lecky, Jr., spoke for the Chamber of Commerce and declared that this body was in hearty accord with the objects of the meeting. Mr. Lecky spoke briefly of the work of the Chamber and said the members desired always to help Richmond.

Mr. E. B. Sydnor spoke for a strong armstington and declared that something

organization and declared that something practical should be done at once.

Mr. C. B. Cooke, Jr., spoke for the



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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WILLIAMSBURG, VA. Dec. 8.—The Farmers' Institute, which has been more than usually interesting, came to a close this afternoon, after being in session three days. Professor S. B. Heighes, manager or the State Test Farm, said to a gen-

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Best Cream Cheese, 2 pounds for	25c	Dunlop Flour, per barrel\$ 6.00
Mountain Roll Butter, per pound	15c	or, per sack 380
Lemon Peel, per pound	12C	Daisy Flour, per barrel\$ 5.75
Orange Peel, per pound	12c	Pillsbury Flour, per barrel\$ 7.00
Citron, per pound	15c	Cut Herrings, 3 doz., 25c; or half-bbl. \$ 2.00
L. L. Raisins, 3 pounds for	25c	Good Luck Baking Powder, 5c can 40
New Mixed Nuts, per pound	12C	Good Luck Baking Powder, 10c can 8
Hard Shell Almonds, per pound	100	Octagon Soap, per bar 49
Soft Shelled Almonds, per pound	18c	Shipstuff, per ton\$24.00
Shelled Almonds, per pound	30c	Bran, per ton\$22.50
Currants, 16-ounce packages	8c	Best Hay, per ton\$16.50
Sultana Raisins, per pound	IOC	N. C. Corn Whiskey, per gallon\$ 2.00
Filberts, per pound	12½C	Best 5-year-old Corn Whiskey, per gal . \$ 2.50
Palm Nuts, or Negro Toes, per pound	12½C	Old Crown Rye, per gallon\$ 3.00
Pecans, per pound	100	Old Keystone Rye, per gallon\$ 2.50
English Walnuts, per pound	12½C	Old Capitol Rye, per gallon\$ 1.50
Dates in bulk and package, per pound	6c	Best Apple Brandy, per gallon\$ 2.50
Large Layer Figs, per pound	12½C	Good Gin, per gallon\$ 2.00
Figs in pound packages	8c	Best Gin, per gallon\$ 2.50
Chalmer's Gelatine, 3 packages for	25C	Old Mountain Whiskey, per gallon\$ 3.00
Mother's Gelatine, 5c package	4C	Duffy's Malt Whiskey, per bottle 800
Mother's Gelatine, 10c package	8c	O'Grady's Malt Whiskey, per bottle 750
American Oats	7°	Paul Jones Whiskey, per bottle\$ 1.00
Large Cocoanuts, each	5c	Wilson Whiskey, per bottle 900
Full Cream Candy, per pound,.	15c .65c	Catawba Wine, per gallon 450
Butter Cup Candy, in 5-lb. pails, each	.05c	Blackberry Wine, per gallon 450
French Candy, per pound Best French Mixture, per pound	120	Sherry Wine, per gallon\$ 1.00
Chocolate Drops, per pound	12½c	Port Wine, per gallon\$ 1.00
Christmas Mixture, per pound	IOC	Imported Sherry Wine, per gallon\$ 3.00
Shredded Coçoanut, per pound	121c	California Port Wine, per gallon\$ 2.00
Mince Meat, per pound	7C	
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Civic Improvement League and he said his people were in hearty sympathy with the objects of the meeting. He spoke at some length in favor of annexation and said he wanted the broadest policy on this question, which could be secured.

Mr. Cooke stirred his bearers up and he declared vigorously for more civic pride and said the city had "outgrown her breeches."

her breeches."

Mr. L. O. Miller, of the firm of Miller.

& Rhoads, spoke briefly along the same line and declared in favor of annexation and of advertising the city's advan-

and of advertising the dry.

Mr. J. L. Hill moved that the Chamber of Commerce, the T. P. A. and the Civic Improvement League be requested to name a joint committee for the purpose of raising \$5,000 and report the method of spending the same.

This motion was adopted and on motion of Mr. J. Slewart Bryan, the promoters of the meeting were thanked for their successful efforts in getting it up. The mass-meeting then adjourned.

Letters of regret at being unable to attend the meeting were read from Governor Montague, Mr. R. W. Powers and others and all seemed pleased with the

VIRGINIA BRIEFS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CAPE CHARLIES, VA., Dec. 8.—Cards
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Henry Ames, of Exmore, announcing the

CAPE CHARLES, VA., Dec. 8.—Carbe have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. W. Henry Ames, of Exmore, announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter. Miss Sudie, to Mr. S. Henry Dunton, of Nassowodox. The ceremony will take place December lith in Belle Haven Presbyterian Church.

DANVILLE, VA.—Mayor Harry Wooding and City Sergeant P. H. Boisseau were both fined for contempt in the Corporation Court to-day, the former for wearing a pair of creaking shoes in the court-room, and the latter for allowing a noise to be made during the progress of a trial.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA.—The old Hoston residence, in Orange county, near the Louisa line, known as "Sinte Illi", occupied by Mr. J. F. Hartsook, has been destroyed by irra. There was no insurance, Mr. Hartsook saved a large portion of his furniture.

HEATHSVILLE VA.—The saw mill plant of Mr. William G. Beane, situated near Miskimmon, was lost by fire a few days ago. The loss was about \$1,500. Mr. Beane had no insurance on the property. This was one of the largest saw milliplants in the Northern Neck.

LYNCHBURG, VA.—Professor James B. Thomas, instructor of history at the Virginia Christian College at this place, essigned to-day to accept a place with the Thornhill Wagon Works here. The college authorities are considering several persons to supply the vacancy, but have decided upon none as yet.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—The engineers of the Tidawater, Railway have about completed their survey in this section and are now working between Williamsburg and Richmond. The engineers regard point Breeze or Nowport News Point as an ideal location for railway terminals. WILLIAMSBURG, VA.—Last night some miscreant, whose sole object stems to have been to damage property, smassed the large plate glass window in the Poinsula Bank and also the show window in the Poinsula Bank and also the show window in the Poinsula Bank and also the show window were broken near the top.

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stitute he had attended in the State.

A number of attractive prizes were awarded for the best exhibits.

The most interesting feature of to-day's session was the address of Governor Montague. A large crowd was present, many of them not being able to obtain seen standing room in the courthouse. A good many ladies were in the audience. Afusio was furnished by the Williamsburg band. At three o'clock in the internoon Governor Montague addressed the students of William and Mary, in the college chapel. Governor Addresses Farmers' Institute and Students. Great Advantages. Government stamp across cork is your protection. Look for "Old Barbee" on the label. I Jno. T. Barbee & Co., Louisville, Ky.

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